

MINUTE ENTRY

9:15 a.m.

U.S.A. -v- ERIC JOHN TUDELA MAFNAS, CHARLEY K. PATRIS and
CARL CABRERA

PRESENT: HON. ALEX R. MUNSON, JUDGE PRESIDING
K. LYNN LEMIEUX, COURTROOM DEPUTY
SANAE SHMULL, COURT REPORTER
TIMOTHY MORAN, ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY
ERIC JOHN TUDELA MAFNAS, DEFENDANT
STEPHANIE FLORES, ATTORNEY FOR DEFT. MAFNAS
CHARLEY K. PATRIS, DEFENDANT
PERRY INOS, ATTORNEY FOR DEFENDANT PATRIS
TIMOTHY BELLAS, ATTORNEY FOR DEFT. CABRERA

PROCEEDINGS: WAIVER OF SPEEDY TRIAL

Defendant - 002: CHARLEY K. PATRIS

Defendant was present with Attorney Perry Inos. Government by Timothy Moran, AUSA.

Defendant was sworn. Defendant stated that he and his attorney needed more time to prepare for trial.

Defendant signed the Waiver Of Speedy Trial pleading in court. Defendant stated in open court that he wished to waive his right to speedy trial. Defendant was examined as to his understanding of his constitutional rights and his right to a speedy trial.

The Court found that pursuant to Title 18, U.S.C. Code 3161 (h)(8) that the ends of justice would be served by allowing the defense further time to review the evidence in preparation for trial and further time to pursue plea negotiations outweigh any other interests the public or the defendant may have in a speedy trial; therefore it was ordered that the jury trial would be waived up until and including June 30, 2005 and that jury trial would commence on Monday, June 6, 2005 at 9:00 a.m. in this courtroom.

Defense moved that the defendant remain at liberty on the same conditions as previously set; Government had no objection; Court so ordered.

At 9: 25 a.m.

Defendant: 001 - ERIC JOHN TUDELA MAFNAS

Defendant was present with Attorney Stephanie Flores. Government by Timothy Moran, AUSA.

Defendant was sworn. Defendant stated that he and his attorney needed more time to prepare for trial.

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Court ordered that the defendant remain at liberty on all conditions as previously set.

Defendant - 003 CARL CABRERA

Defendant was NOT present with Attorney Timothy Bellas. Government by Timothy Moran, AUSA.

Attorney Bellas apologized to the Court saying that he was confused about today's hearing and he had not notified his client to be here today. Court continued the hearing, as to defendant Cabrera, to February 18, 2005 at 10:00 a.m.

Court adjourned at 9:30 a.m.

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Applies to: DFT Mafnas, Eric John Tudela, DFT Patris, Charley K., DFT Cabrera, Carl [KLL EOD 02/15/2005]